STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN RE: FIRST SAVINGS PROOF FILING OF THE NARRAGANSETT ELECTRIC COMPANY

DOCKET NO. 2930

NOTICE OF TECHNICAL RECORD SESSION

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 39-1-1 and 42-46-6 of the Rhode Island General Laws, as amended, the Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") will hold a Technical Record Session on <u>Tuesday, October 7, 2003 at 10:00 A.M.</u> in Hearing Room A of the Public Utilities Commission, 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island. The Technical Session may continue on October 8, 2003 if needed.

In this docket the Commission reviews compliance filings by the Narragansett Electric Company made pursuant to the Third Amended Stipulation and Settlement ("Settlement") dated March 14, 2000 and approved by the Commission in Docket No. 2930 o March 24, 2000. The Settlement provided for consolidation of the rates and operations of Narragansett, Blackstone Valley Electric and Newport Electric Corporation.

At this Technical Session, Narragansett will provide an overview of: 1) the terms contained in the Settlement and 2) the specifics contained in the June 27, 2003 compliance filing made pursuant to the Settlement. The June 27 filing relates to Narragansett's first "Savings Proof" and savings determination formula of merger related savings to be shared between the Company and customers.

Reference is made to Chapters 39-1, 39-3 and 42-35 of the Rhode Island General Laws; specifically Sections 39-1-7, 39-1-8, 39-1-11, 39-1-12, 39-1-18, 39-1-20, 42-35-8, 42-35-9 and 42-35-10.

Luly E. Massaro Commission Clerk September 30, 2003